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JACK-O'- PROTEST

Outside the Prime Minister's Office on Elgin Street volunteers with Ecology Ottawa show off their Halloween protest pumpkins as they flank Cameron Fenton, a "Canadian tar sands organizer" with 350.org. Fenton holds a pumpkin carved with the words "No Energy East" the same message spelled out by the individual pumpkins. The group opposes a plan by TransCanada to send oil by pipeline from Western Canada to reception points in Eastern Canada. The pipeline, which currently carries natural gas, travels through part of rural Ottawa. New segments of the pipeline will have to be added.

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Harper unveils controversial family tax cuts

Campaign-style event. PM's announcement includes income splitting, boost to childcare benefit

Prime Minister Stephen Harper is pressing ahead with income splitting for families with kids under 18 — a multibillion-dollar Conservative election promise from 2011 that critics have said would benefit too few Canadians.

To address that complaint, the Conservative government

is also boosting the universal child care benefit — \$160 a month for kids under six, up from \$100, plus a new monthly benefit of \$60 for children aged six through 17, effective in 2015.

The so-called "Family Tax Cut" will allow an eligible taxpayer to transfer up to \$50,000 of income to his or her spouse for tax purposes in order to collect a non-refundable tax credit of up to \$2,000 per year.

The two measures together will cost \$3.1 billion in 2014-15 and \$4.5 billion in 2015-16.

"Our goal has always been to make sure that Canada is

the best country in the world in which to raise a family," Harper told a campaign-style event in Vaughan, Ont.

"Our government is utterly convinced of one thing: when it comes to the cost of raising a family, Canada's moms and dads deserve all of the help that we can give them."

The government is also adding \$1,000 to the various limits on the childcare-expense deduction, which allows taxpayers to claim childcare expenses incurred in order to work or go to school. That measure carries an estimated cost of \$15 million in 2014-15 and \$65 million

in 2015-16.

Harper repeatedly hammered home the message that the entire suite of measures would benefit all Canadian families with children.

And he acknowledged the whopping price tag, which he said the government would well be able to afford.

"The measures we announced today, while very significant in terms of cost, are completely affordable within the current budget projection.... At the same time, we're doing this in a way that ensures that the things we promised in the last election will actually reach

people in the life of this Parliament."

There's a very significant reason why that particular timing is such a priority for the government: were the government to wait, families would not feel the tax help until after the next federal election, slated for October 2015.

To be sure, Thursday's event had all the trappings of a campaign event, complete with two "average" Canadian families on the stage, both of whom briefly exchanged awkward small talk with the prime minister about the daily challenges of raising a family. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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Ontario changes legal-aid income threshold

Ontario's Liberal government is making legal aid funding available to more people for the first time in 18 years, but the New Democrats say the income cap is still too low and many who live in poverty won't qualify. The income eligibility threshold will rise to \$11,448 — about half the poverty line — starting Nov. 1. The income threshold for a family of five to qualify will rise to \$28,317.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Safe and sound

Brian Barnabas found safe

Ottawa police say they found Brian Barnabas. Police issued an alert Wednesday that Barnabas might have gone into the water near Victoria Island and gone missing. Thursday morning they said the 21-year-old man was found safe and sound. **METRO**

Investigation

Bullet hole found in garage door

Police are investigating a shot fired on Rigas Private after a homeowner discovered a bullet lodged in a garage door. Officers learned from the home owner that the hole in the garage was first noticed by a family member during the evening of Oct. 25, but no call was made to police until Oct. 29th. Neighbours told police they heard a single shot Oct. 25.

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Nepean hospital needs help raising \$1.5M for new acute seniors care unit. LUCY SCHOLEY/METRO

Hospital hopes to raise \$1.5 million

Donations. City asks Nepean residents to chip in \$30 per household



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The Queensway Carleton Hospital in Nepean is expanding with a new \$10.8-million unit for acute seniors care, but the city is asking for the public's help footing the bill.

The new unit will include 34 beds for patients aged 65 and older, plus a specialized

staff of therapists, social workers, geriatricians and pharmacists.

While the province has already promised \$8.87 million to the project, the City of Ottawa and the foundation are looking to the public for help raising the last \$1.5-million piece of the funding puzzle. The city is asking each household in Nepean for \$30.

"It lets residents become part of a really great success story for just \$30," said Coun. Rick Chiarelli during the announcement on Thursday.

Those beds are not new, but already used for acute care. The hospital is aiming to put them to better use.

"If you have a child that needs specialized care, you think of CHEO, and so we think of our geriatric patients and they need that level of specialized care," said Melanie Adams, CEO of the Queensway Carleton Hospital Foundation, noting that west Ottawa has one of the fastest-growing aging populations in Canada.

If an older patient is exhibiting symptoms of an illness or injury — say pneumonia or a broken hip — then they will be treated for that specific illness in the ACU. But they will need to be moved to a rehabilitation bed before going home.

This new unit aims to

treat the patients holistically, without having to make them switch beds.

"It's kind of an acute-care, rehab-focus on one unit, rather than having to move them and lengthen their stays in the hospital," said Cathy Gray, clinical nurse specialist with geriatrics.

A typical patient room will have windows three-quarters the size of the wall and accessible washrooms.

Thirty rooms will be private and two will have two beds each. The campaign to raise \$1.5 million will run for a year, with the aim of completing the new unit in two years.

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Exclusive casino nightclub targets younger crowd

Casino Lac-Leamy. Say goodbye to Bar 777, say hello to posh ALÉA



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A new, niche “exclusive” nightclub at Casino Lac-Leamy is targeting a younger, hipper crowd than those usually seen gambling on a Friday night.

Club ALÉA is considered the “jewel” of the casino’s massive \$47-million renovation project. Smack in the middle of the slot machines, the glittering club holds about 200 people — including two VIP sections and a few smaller sections with couches.

It’s flashy, but not slot-machine flashy. Past the maze of colourful games, Club ALÉA is housed upstairs in a white tower covered in illuminated fish scales. Inside, its walls are black, and the bar is lit up at the back of the room. Instead of the clink-clink of slot machines, ALÉA will play electronic dance music courtesy of local DJs or bigger acts such as Bob Sinclair or Erick Morillo, who will perform at the club’s opening night.

A promotional video, played for reporters by casino officials, showed young people dolled up and dancing — after they would have paid the \$12 pre-sale tickets or \$16 at the door. Bigger DJs will cost more.

The club has a dress code and it’s geared towards people older than 25.

“If you look at what casinos are doing all over the world and Las Vegas, we’re talking less about gaming. We’re talking more about entertainment,” said Lac-Leamy spokesperson Catherine Schellenberg.

Last year, the casino’s revenue dropped eight per cent compared to the year before, she said.

“It’s not just the casino industry,” she said. “People have less disposable income and they’re spending less on luxury items.”

The \$47-million renovation includes tearing up the old Bar 777, fountains and staircase and building this nightclub, plus a new Bar 7 downstairs.

Club ALÉA officially opens on Halloween. It will be open Friday and Saturday nights from 10 p.m. until 2 a.m.



Club ALÉA is the new nightclub at Casino Lac-Leamy and part of a \$47-million renovation project. LUCY SCHOLEY/METRO



Bar 7, the new watering hole at Casino Lac-Leamy, looks like the inside of a glass of bubbly. LUCY SCHOLEY/METRO



Alain Miroux, general manager of Casino Lac-Leamy, talks about the casino's new nightclub. LUCY SCHOLEY/METRO



Plush couches offer patrons a hangout in ALÉA's VIP sections. LUCY SCHOLEY/METRO



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Is Ottawa haunted? Investigator says yes

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Static-filled recordings seem to reveal scary messages



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"Pain kill you too."

It's a chilling message (posted below) that paranormal investigator Michelle McKay says she captured on her electronic voice phenomena (EVP) recorder while investigating an old bed and breakfast in Ottawa in 2009.

She says the owners reported hearing footsteps at night in the 1895 home and immediately called McKay, one of Canada's most-recognized paranormal investigators, who has been featured on CTV, Discovery I.D. and various other paranormal TV shows in North America.

"They reported lights turning off and on, even after an electrician came in to rewire it," said McKay, adding she can't reveal the location, because the home's new owners don't want anything to do with the chilling tale. Metro is unable to independently verify the audio, but in the spirit of season and wanting to find out just how spooky the capital is, we're taking McKay at her word. You can check them out online at metronews.ca.

"They were hearing footsteps, the bed sheets being pulled off them in bed, something touching their shoulders in the middle of the night."



The St. Paul's University library is said to be haunted by a silhouetted figure that appears at night. CONTRIBUTED

A second recording captured what sounds like a voice saying, "August fourth," or, "all this work."

EVP recordings are typically hard to analyze, says McKay, as the audio is usually so jumbled that it takes the most trained ear to hear anything at all. But these recordings were so clear that even McKay, who has been investigating ghosts since she was 10, got chills.

"We didn't expect anything going in and when my investigators let me listen to that audio, none of us could believe it. It was so clear," she said.

"Usually with EVPs you hear

things that sort of sound like people talking, but not that clear. It's so bizarre."

McKay has also investigated chilling stories from St. Paul's University, where a student reported seeing silhouetted figures floating in front of him while he studied.

McKay said Strathcona Park is another location that has seen its fair share of paranormal activity; as many have reported seeing a woman strolling the park at night in a Victorian dress from the 1800s.

"While they were there, they witnessed one of the swings moving in such a way



Paranormal investigator Michelle McKay CONTRIBUTED

as if somebody invisible was swinging on them and then the swings suddenly came to a dead stop while it was in full motion," said McKay.

Ottawa 'one of the scariest cities'

Ottawa may not be the scariest city in Canada, but the capital does boast a handful of disturbing stories that can make even the most skeptical squirm.

A new survey by MissTravel.com pins Ottawa as one of the top 10 spookiest cities in Canada — with ghostly stories from the old Ottawa Jail, the Chateau Laurier, Watson's Mill and other downtown residences — attractions perfect for that special, spooky date.

MissTravel public relations manager Brook Urlick said of the 12,000-plus people surveyed, many told chilling



Google says this view inside Ottawa's Chateau Laurier is the fourth spookiest Street View in Canada. GOOGLE STREET VIEW

stories of hearing footsteps at night at Ottawa's Bytown Museum as well as hearing porcelain dolls cry out.

"Definitely, your city came up as one of the scariest cities," said Urlick, adding that couples, especially around Halloween, love a good scare.

"It's something new and different and you don't usually get to do that on a regular basis. I think it's a fun experience with someone special. You can have fun together, also get scared together and hold hands, maybe."

Ottawa was ranked the ninth scariest city in Canada out of 10, finishing just ahead of Edmonton and well behind Canada's spookiest metropolis, Montreal, with its Mount

Royal Cemetery and the said-to-be-haunted Queen Elizabeth Hotel.

Ottawa's Chateau Laurier is also rumoured to be haunted, as guests have reported hearing ghostly singing in a winding stairwell and a presence that moves objects in the rooms.

In fact, Google has named the Chateau Laurier's main hallway as number four on its top 5 spookiest Street Views, as it is rumoured that business tycoon Charles Melville, who died on the Titanic, haunts the hotel that he never got to see finished. TREVOR GREENWAY/METRO

Delve into Ottawa's shadow realm

The real Halloween.

Join Haunted Ottawa for a paranormal investigation at Watson's Mill



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You may have heard the chilling stories at Watson's Mill, but have you ever experienced a ghostly encounter there?

The Haunted Ottawa Paranormal Society is inviting the public to sit in on a live paranormal investigation Halloween night, as they attempt to channel the spirit of Ann Crosby, the woman who is said to haunt the old Manotick mill.

"We have a lot of personal experience over there, we hear a lot of spirit's footsteps," said Haunted Ottawa director of operations Daniel Touchette.

He said his organization



Haunted Ottawa Paranormal Society is hosting a public paranormal investigation at Watson's Mill Halloween night. PHOTO ILLUSTRATION TREVOR GREENWAY/METRO

has a lot of good quality electronic voice phenomena (EVP) recordings of the spirit talking to investigators that are "hard to disprove."

The story is that Crosby, who was the wife of mill co-owner Joseph Carrier, was killed in a mill accident in 1861. Ever since her death,

guests and employees have reported seeing her figure in windows late at night. Other reports tell of haunting sounds echoing from within

the walls of the Mill.

But Touchette doesn't want to instill fear in his participants. He says the investigations aren't about scaring

Who you gonna call?

"It's nothing to be scared of. You really have to be trained to control your fears and your anxiety."

Daniel Touchette, Haunted Ottawa director of operations

the daylight hours of people, but quite the opposite.

"We are not scripted, we don't have a rating to follow. What you see is what you get. We don't go there to scare people," said Touchette.

"It's nothing to be scared of. You really have to be trained to control your fears and your anxiety; this is where our groups come in. We educate you and we teach you how to control your thoughts and things like that."

The ghostly session will allow the public to use ghost-busting equipment like infrared cameras and EVP recorders, as they complete their own paranormal investigation.

Tickets are \$25.

I ruined Halloween

I'm fairly certain that I ruined Halloween.

We've been building it up for my one-and-a-half-year-old daughter, Lela. Trying to explain it to her, that kids get dressed up and get candy.

She and her big sister Cora have been planning their costumes.

It was all going fine until the booby-trapped Halloween store.

After an exhausting day of shopping at Costco, I decided to reward my well-behaved kids with a trip to a fun store. How wrong I was.

Upon entering Spirit Halloween, my oldest daughter caught a glimpse of Queen Elsa's dress from Frozen and bolted towards it. As I kept my eye on my darting kid, I didn't notice the floor mat in front of me. My little Lela did. She stepped directly on the mat, once, twice, a few more times before her little foot activated the thing and a human-sized cockroach jumped in front of her face with its deep, laser-eyes.

The sound of her reaction likely shattered glass a few miles away.

She clutched onto my leg as if someone was pulling her into the underworld and a well of fear-driven tears began pouring from her eyes.

I tried to show her that it



While a Disney Queen Elsa Frozen outfit captivated Trevor Greenway's eldest, there were spookier things at the Spirit Halloween store. Then again, for parents subjected to the movie's theme song over and over again, maybe not. SPIRITHALLOWEEN.COM

was only a toy, but she wouldn't look anywhere but the base of my neck.

After a couple more tours of the store with a child's kung-fu grip around my neck, she got a bit braver and took another peek from my shoulder. That's when my oldest tripped another scary prop: a demon sliding up and down the wall, giggling with an evil laugh.

There was only one sensible, mature course of action for us to take:

Eyes bugging out and screaming, we ran.

On our way home, I tried to calm her down, but every time she saw a skeleton hanging

from a window, she began to cry and say, "No, Halloween, all gone. No, no."

I spent extensive time explaining to her "Halloween is fun," and that kids get to dress up and eat candy all night — a tough sell for someone who isn't even two yet.

She seems on board with the idea now, but once the sun goes down and the ghosts come out, I'll likely have to take her home early.

She's dressing up as a dragon this Halloween and when I tell her Halloween isn't scary, she says, "Halloween no scary, Halloween spookier."

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Party like it's 1979 at the Rotters Club Halloween party

Ghost of parties past.

The spirit of the epic Nee'wollah parties will be conjured up at Zaphod's this year



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Carl Schultz is bringing Ottawa's punk scene back from the dead this Halloween, or should we say, Nee'wollah.

Those who partied at the Rotters Club back in the late '70s will remember how wild and crazy the club's Nee'wollah (Halloween spelled backwards) parties used to get: dirty, sweaty musicians radiating in the basement while drunken and drugged-up partiers ground it out on the floor, the bath-

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Tickets for the party are \$35 and the first 200 people through the doors get the re-released Rot n' Role album.

room or wherever there was room.

It was real musicians playing real music and Schultz says Friday night will be much of the same.

"At the Rotters Club, it was always about the music," said Schultz, who co-founded the club in 1977.

"There would be separate parties going on in the washrooms. There was alcohol, drugs, sex and everything else going on in the washrooms. It was a real scene and we had wild and enthusiastic crowds listening to just phenomenal bands."



Teenage Head are seen performing at the Rotters Club in 1980. On Friday Zaphod's will host a Rotters Club retrospective punk-reunion night, paying tribute to the venue that put Ottawa on the punk map. . CONTRIBUTED

Schultz, 60, and several other rockers are recreating

the Rotters Club Halloween party at Zaphod's this year, which will feature three bands composed of players who used to frequent the Rotters Club stage.

The bill includes headliners Sister Hyde, whose front man Ted Axe used to rock the club with his '70s band the Action.

Schultz's new band, Black Shirt Highwaymen, is also on the bill, as is Toronto's Arson and comedian Mike McDon-

ald, whose first-ever standup gig was at the Rotters. Rotters Club favourites Strone may also crash the party.

The idea of the party is not only to honour the late great music scene in Ottawa, but also to give those who weren't around a snapshot of what Ottawa's punk scene was like in the early '80s.

When most clubs in the city were hiring only cover bands to serenade boring guests, the Rotters Club was

pumping out raucous punk bands that ultimately upended the rock 'n' roll landscape in Ottawa.

The event also coincides with the 35th anniversary reissue of the legendary Rot n' Role album, a compilation from 1979 that documents the original Rotters Club scene. Schultz went through the archives at his Double Helix Studio and had the old compilation album remastered.

Quoted

"At the Rotters Club, it was always about the music.... There would be separate parties going on in the washrooms. There was alcohol, drugs, sex and everything else going on in the washrooms. It was a real scene and we had wild and enthusiastic crowds listening to just phenomenal bands."

Carl Schultz, who co-founded the Rotters Club in 1977.



The Strone are seen rocking out at the Rotters in 1979. CONTRIBUTED



Mike MacDonald's first standup gig was at the Rotters, in 1977. CONTRIBUTED



The Bureaucrats get noisy at the Rotters in 1978. CONTRIBUTED

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Premier Kathleen Wynne speaks during a news conference at the Chinese People Association for friendship on Thursday in Beijing, China. Wynne says if Doug Ford were elected to the Tory Leadership it would present "an exercise in contrast." ANDY WONG/THE CANADIAN PRESS/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Wynne stays quiet on the Ford front

Mum on race. Liberal Premier opts to stay away from talks about the vacant Ontario PC leadership

While Premier Kathleen Wynne says she doesn't want to get involved in the Progressive Conservative leadership tilt in Ontario, she acknowledges that a Doug Ford victory would present "an exercise in contrast."

"I think it's important that we let the leadership race play out," she said Thursday. "I have no idea what decision Doug Ford will or will not make. But we are very different people. I will just say that."



Doug Ford
DAVID COOPER/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

After losing the mayor's race to former PC leader John Tory on Monday, Ford told radio station NewsTalk 1010 he was considering a run to succeed Tim Hudak as party leader.

The mayoral election and Ford's musings followed Wynne to China where she and two of her fellow premiers — Quebec's Philippe Couillard and Prince Edward Island's Robert Ghiz — took part in a trade mission this week.

"I was happy that John won," she told reporters in Beijing. "He's somebody I know I can work with."

As for the Conservative leadership race, she said she wouldn't wade into it.

Then she added: "I will say it would be certainly an exercise in contrast if Doug Ford were to be the leader but they will go through their process."

When a reporter told Wynne she would have an easier time defeating Ford than Conservative health critic Christine Elliott, she laughed and said: "Never, never, never make those kinds of predictions."

Elliott is one of five declared candidates. The others are fellow caucus members Lisa MacLeod, Vic Fedeli and Monte McNaughton and Conservative MP Patrick Brown.

The new leader will be announced in early May.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Alleged sexual assault

Charges laid against reservist

Military police in Ottawa have charged a Canadian Forces reservist with two counts of sexual assault.

It is alleged that, in the summer of 2013, Captain Joseph Horvath sexually assaulted another Canadian Armed Forces Reserve member.

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Jamaican association

Mayor Watson recognizes 50th anniversary of city's Jamaican community group

Newly re-elected Mayor Jim Watson, joined with Jamaican High Commissioner-designate to Canada, Janice Miller, and members of Ottawa's Jamaican com-

munity Thursday to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Jamaican (Ottawa) Community Association by planting a Canadian maple tree in Strathcona Park, just across from the official residence of the Jamaican High Commissioner.

The Jamaican (Ottawa) Community Association grew out of the West Indian Association of Ottawa, which was formed in 1964. METRO

Bad drivers

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Ottawa scientist Dr. Angel Arnaout is studying a technique to better detect and remove breast cancer. CONTRIBUTED

Ottawa doctor gets \$130K award for 3D breast cancer study

Dr. Angel Arnaout.

New technique removes guesswork for pathologists and means less repeat surgery for patients

An Ottawa scientist is aiming to cut down on repeat breast cancer surgeries with new 3D, colour-coded technology that can better pinpoint abnormal cells.

Dr. Angel Arnaout, a surgical oncologist specializing in breast cancer at the Ottawa Hospital and a Clinician Investigator at the Ottawa Hospital Research Institute, is also hoping to eliminate cancer recurrence in patients.

The Canadian Cancer So-

Stats

According to the Canadian Cancer Society, every year about 25 to 45 per cent of breast cancer patients need more surgeries because the cancer was not properly removed the first time.

cety awarded her \$130,000 for her study, which involves colour-coding areas of cancerous breast tissue. It's meant to make it easier for pathologists to pinpoint the location of the cancer and for surgeons to completely remove it.

"The surgeons and the pathologists are essentially analyzing the tissue in the same way and that increases

the accuracy of this assessment of the cancerous tissue," said Dr. Arnaout.

Now, someone with breast cancer typically undergoes surgery first. The surgeon removes the cancer and what's called a margin – the tissue surrounding the cancerous region. That tissue is sent to a pathologist who tests it to see if there are more cancer cells. If the margin is positive, then there's still cancer in the body. Further surgery is required.

But Dr. Arnaout noticed that surgeons who re-operate on patients with positive margins would sometimes find no cancer. She went back and examined the pathologists' technique and found it did not correspond with what the surgeons were doing.

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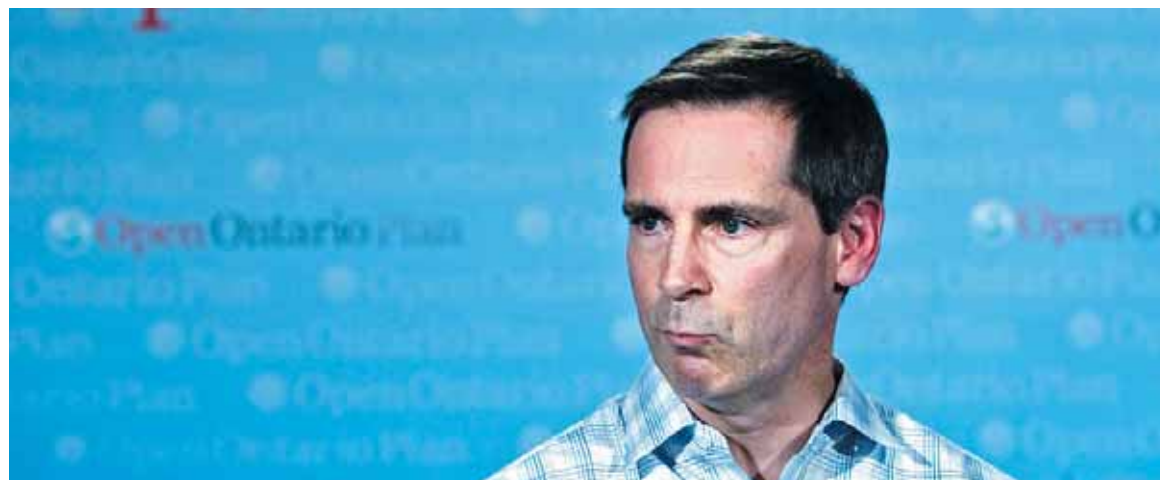
Province to reintroduce sex-ed curriculum it scrapped in 2010

'That's just the way it is.' Education needed 'now more than ever,' minister says, eyeing fall 2015 as start date

The Liberal government will reintroduce an updated sex-education curriculum for Ontario schools that it withdrew in 2010 because of objections from some religious leaders, Education Minister Liz Sandals announced Thursday.

An "age-appropriate" health and physical education curriculum will be ready by the start of classes next fall, based in part on consultations done after the last one was withdrawn, added Sandals.

"In our increasingly interconnected world, students often get information from unreliable and inaccurate



Ex-premier Dalton McGuinty speaks to the media about the postponed controversial sex-ed curriculum at the Tecumseh Public School in London, Ont., in 2010. The Wynne government is consulting with the public as it tries for a reboot. NATHAN DENETTE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

sources," she said. "That is why an up-to-date, relevant and appropriate health and physical education curricu-

lum is needed now more than ever, and is why we are committed to having one in place for the 2015 school year."

The reintroduced sex ed curriculum will teach kids about homosexuality and same-sex marriages in Grade 3,

encourage discussions about puberty, including masturbation, in Grade 6 and talk about preventing sexually trans-

mitted diseases in Grade 7, which could include information on oral and anal sex.

Christian evangelist Charles McVety and other religious leaders condemned the Liberals for going too far with the proposed changes four years ago, forcing the government to back down until now.

The government said studies show that girls as young as seven and eight years old are entering puberty, significantly earlier than in previous generations, and they need information at the appropriate time to deal with the changes.

"We've actually got a whole group of primarily little girls, but little boys too, whose bodies are way ahead of their heads," Sandals said in an interview. "That's not a political attitude survey. It's not a religious survey. That's just the way it is."

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Ex-Calgary teacher fears for his safety

Jailed in Jakarta. Neil Bantleman and family becoming concerned as prosecutors prepare to lay charges

Neil Bantleman said Thursday from his Jakarta cell that he fears for his safety as Indonesian prosecutors prepare to lay sexual abuse charges against the former Calgary teacher.

"I would like to ask the government to assist me in anyway possible as I have little confidence in the judicial system here and am very concerned about receiving a fair trial," he wrote in a message to Metro.

On Wednesday, his brother Guy Bantleman told reporters he's learned a case police have said they're building against Neil has been turned over to prosecutors and it's likely charges would be laid by week's end.

Neil has adamantly denied



Neil Bantleman
CONTRIBUTED

accusations that he sexually abused kindergarten-aged children at the Jakarta International School, where he and his wife, Tracy, work. Both he and another teacher taken into custody at the same time in July have received support from thousands around the world.

Fears have also emerged that Neil will be transferred from a minimum-security cell in Jakarta to a maximum-security site that his brother has said will be filled with gangsters, rapists and murderers.

Neil said in his messages he

hadn't received formal word of a transfer, but fears the nature of the charges against him could make him a target.

"I am very concerned for my safety as we enter a new jail with horrible allegations placed against us," he said, referring to himself and fellow teacher Ferdinand Tijong.

His brother, meanwhile, has lobbied hard for assistance from Canada's Department of Foreign Affairs officials but said he's had little success.

Caitlin Workman, a spokesperson for the federal department, said in an emailed response issued to Metro early Thursday: "We are aware of the latest developments in this case and are monitoring the situation closely. Canadian consular officials are providing assistance as required, and remain in contact with the family."

Neil said his lawyers are still working on obtaining the evidence that Jakarta police intend to bring against him in court.

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Remembering the fallen

The governor general pays his respects Thursday to Cpl. Nathan Cirillo, the soldier who was gunned down while on guard duty last week at the National War Memorial. David Johnston and his wife, Sharon, stood for a moment of silence in front of the memorial Thursday morning after viewing the day's first posting of sentries at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. ADRIAN WYLD/ THE CANADIAN PRESS

Anti-prostitution bill

Liberal senator to propose changes

A Liberal senator will propose amendments to the Conservative government's controversial anti-prostitution bill as the clock ticks down on a court-imposed deadline for implementation of a new law.

The Senate has concluded its committee study of Bill C-36 and the bill is expected to be back before the upper chamber for third reading next week.

Liberal Sen. George Baker said Thursday he intends to introduce 15 amendments during that debate, all seeking to remove provisions that criminalize any who sell sex.

The Conservative government wants to get the bill through the legislative process by the middle of November, so it can get royal assent and become law by December. That would meet the deadline imposed by the Supreme Court of Canada when it struck down existing laws as unconstitutional last year. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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CBC execs mum on Ghomeshi



Jian Ghomeshi arrives on the green carpet for the Juno Gala in Winnipeg on March 29. JOHN WOODS/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Staying silent. How much did they know? Head honchos refuse to speak publicly about allegations of violence

Top brass at the CBC are silent on what they knew, and when, about allegations of violence and sexual harassment against disgraced radio host Jian Ghomeshi.

President Hubert Lacroix, executive vice-president of English services Heather Conway and head of radio Chris Boyce did not return multiple requests for comment on Thursday, the same day the CBC told staff it was hiring an external firm to investigate allegations against Ghomeshi within the firm and offering counselling.

"Given that these matters are now before the courts and the grievance arbitration process, we will be limited in our communications," CBC spokesman Chuck Thompson said in an email to Torstar News Service.

"We look forward to the opportunity to fully disclose the facts of these matters. We are

extremely confident that CBC will be seen to have acted very quickly when we concluded that we could not continue our employment relationship with Jian Ghomeshi.... We believe that the information will demonstrate that the CBC acted as a prudent and responsible employer."

While CBC executives have not spoken publicly, they are communicating with staff about the Ghomeshi allegations. In a memo announcing the third-party investigation and counselling, Conway called Torstar and CBC reports "extremely disturbing and of great concern to all of us."

She praised the "professionalism" of staff and reminded them that while they are not prevented from responding to reporters' questions, they should not feel obligated.

It isn't just current CBC managers staying mum. Kirstine Stewart, in charge of English services from 2011 to 2013 and now a VP at Twitter, told Torstar in a tweet to contact the site's PR department, which did not return a request for comment.

Former CBC president Robert Rabinovitch, at the CBC helm from 1999 to 2007, and Denise Donlon, head of radio

CBC's union

The union representing CBC employees is also keeping a tight lid on information, after it announced Wednesday that one CBC employee who spoke with Torstar did not report her allegations to a union representative, but rather a colleague who was a union volunteer.

- The union said this person was not given the details the woman shared with Torstar.

from 2008 to 2011, did not return requests for comment.

Only Richard Stursberg, executive vice-president of English services from 2004 to 2010, talked to Torstar. He was in charge in 2007, when Q was born.

"There was never any conversation or indication at the time that there was anything problematic about his behaviour," said Stursberg.

"I was saddened for the CBC, I was saddened for Jian's career, and sad for the women..." said Stursberg on the allegations.

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Prince Charles. Royal donates to families of slain Canadian soldiers

Prince Charles has made what is being described as a substantial donation to the families of the two Canadian soldiers killed recently in separate attacks.

Clarence House confirmed a donation was made to the True Patriot Love Foundation, which is managing the flood of money coming in through the Stand on Guard Fund. The contribution was made explicitly for the families of Cpl. Nathan Cirillo and Warrant Officer Patrice

Vincent.

The Prince of Wales's Charitable Foundation isn't revealing the amount of the donation, but a source close to the matter called it "substantial."

The Stand on Guard Fund was created in the wake of last Wednesday's fatal shooting of reservist Cpl. Nathan Cirillo in front of the National War Memorial in Ottawa. Donations can be made through standonguardfund.com.

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Toronto

Two charged in \$3M credit card scam

A Toronto man and woman are facing multiple charges in connection with an alleged credit card fraud that stretched over three years and amounted to more than \$3 million.

It's alleged that between May 2011 and August 2014,

the suspects applied online for more than 100 credit cards using other people's names.

Police say the pair targeted Home Depot Canada, purchasing gift cards, appliances, home renovation products and other items, and that payments were made using not-sufficient-fund cheques.

Police say a search warrant was executed on their home. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Jian Ghomeshi dropped by PR firms

Last week, Jian Ghomeshi was a media star, now he's waging the public opinion war solo: both his crisis communications firm and traditional public relations firm severed ties with the former Q star Thursday.

Ghomeshi issued only a brief statement on Thursday, after the detailed accounts of how he allegedly strangled, hit or demeaned eight women hit the news cycle. The count has since risen to nine and the alleged violence has sparked a discussion about sexual violence and rape culture in Canada.

"I want to thank you for your support and assure you that I intend to meet these allegations directly. I don't intend to discuss this matter any further with the media," wrote the former media darling on Facebook.

Ghomeshi's previous Facebook post, published pre-emptive of the initial allegations, claimed CBC fired him only for having kinky sex and blamed a "jilted" ex for orchestrating a campaign against him. The post is widely suspected to have been done with the help

of Navigator, the high-stakes public strategy and communications firm he hired, which is known for representing high-profile clients in serious trouble, including former Ontario attorney general Michael Bryant after the death of cyclist Darcy Sheppard and former prime minister Brian Mulroney in the Airbus scandal.

However, Navigator announced late Thursday it is no longer representing Ghomeshi.

"In response to numerous media requests, Navigator confirms it does not advise Jian Ghomeshi. Regrettably, the circumstances of our engagement have changed and we are no longer able to continue," the company said in a statement.

It was a break in strategy for the strategy firm, as only a few hours earlier a Navigator spokesperson told Metro: "We never confirm or deny who our clients are, nor do we speak about them."

Rock-it Promotions, which had a longstanding PR relationship with Ghomeshi, announced it also had severed ties with him.



Public strategy and communications firm Navigator, which represented former prime minister Brian Mulroney in the Airbus scandal, announced it is no longer representing Jian Ghomeshi. THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

Siri Agrell, vice-president of communications firm Pilot PMR, said she believes both companies were put in a difficult position by Ghomeshi.

"Like the rest of us, there was no way they could have

known the extent of the situation, and how serious it is.

"As the evidence grew, it became clear that Jian doesn't need a PR firm, Jian needs legal advice," she said.

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RCMP requests for telecom data poorly tracked

Annual report. Daniel Therrien says he couldn't tell how often the Mounties collected subscriber data without a warrant

The privacy watchdog is calling on federal authorities to keep better track of informal requests to telecommunications companies for subscriber data after finding shoddy record-keeping at the RCMP.

In his annual report tabled Thursday, privacy commissioner Daniel Therrien said shortcomings in the RCMP's information management systems meant he was unable



Privacy watchdog Daniel Therrien
SEAN KILPATRICK/THE CANADIAN PRESS

to tell whether proper controls were in place.

It was impossible to deter-

mine how often the Mounties collected subscriber data without a warrant, Therrien said. As a result, his office could not assess whether such requests were justified.

Privacy and civil liberties advocates have raised concerns about the ability of police and intelligence agencies to gain access to details of the public's online activities, particularly given revelations about widespread surveillance by government agencies. People understand that law-enforcement and national security agencies have legitimate need to collect personal details, Therrien said.

The Mounties have agreed to bring in a system to monitor and report on warrantless requests. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



HMCS Athabaskan returns after 7 weeks

Bryce Fitzpatrick waves to his dad aboard the HMCS Athabaskan as it returns to Halifax on Thursday after a seven-week deployment in the Caribbean. The Athabaskan docked in Halifax after 53 days away from home and 37 days at sea as part of Operation CARIBBE, a multinational campaign targeting illicit trafficking by organized crime in the Caribbean and eastern Pacific ocean. **JEFF HARPER/METRO IN HALIFAX**

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Health. Spending increase smallest in 17 years — up only \$61 per person

A new report says Canada will pay only \$61 more per person this year for health care compared to last year's expenditures.

The report says the increase in health spending was the lowest in 17 years and amounts to only a 2.1 per cent rise.

The Canadian Institute for Health Information says Canada is expected to spend just under \$215 billion this year on health care, which works out to \$6,045 per person.

That spending level puts Canada eighth among the countries of the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development, the OECD.

The three territories, which often have to fly residents south for medical care, spend substantially more per person than provinces do.

Nunavut will spend the most, at just over \$13,160 a person, while Quebec is expected to spend the least, at

Health-care spending

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Hospitals make up about 30 per cent of health-care spending, \$63.5 billion. Drugs and doctors come next, at 16 and 15 per cent respectively, or \$33.9 billion and \$33.3 billion.

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The public purse picks up about 70 per cent of the cost of health care in Canada. The remaining 30 per cent comes from out-of-pocket payments by individuals and private health insurance. That 70-30 cost breakdown has been relatively constant over the past 20 years, the report says.

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Moncton murderer faces precedent-setting sentence



Justin Bourque is depicted in an artist's sketch at his sentencing hearing at Moncton Law Courts in Moncton, N.B. on Tuesday. CAROL TAYLOR/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Justin Bourque. Crown seeking maximum sentence — 75 years without eligibility to apply for parole

Justin Bourque's killing of three Mounties has been described in court as one of the worst crimes in Canadian history, prompting recommendations from Crown and defence lawyers for the harshest sentence in more than 50 years.

Judge David Smith, chief justice of the Court of Queen's Bench in New Brunswick, is scheduled to sentence the 24-year-old Friday, four months after Bourque used a semi-automatic rifle to fatally shoot three officers and wound two others in Moncton's north end.

Bourque pleaded guilty in August to three counts of first-degree murder and two counts of attempted murder.

The Crown is seeking the maximum sentence — 75 years without eligibility to apply for parole — under a section of the Criminal Code that was amended in 2011. Prior to that, Bourque would have been handed an automatic life sentence with no chance at parole for 25 years, the mandatory penalty for one or more convictions of first-degree murder.

Earlier this week, defence lawyer David Lutz said his client, having admitted to the crimes in a detailed, three-hour statement to police, has argued that a 50-year parole ineligibility period would be fair. Lutz had little else to say on his client's behalf, except that Bourque has a defective thought process and inadequate social skills.

If Smith accepts either the Crown or defence recommendations, the sentence would be the harshest since Canada's last executions in 1962.

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Montreal. Quebec police bring home the Bacon after a week of hog havoc

Bacon the pig is no longer a ham on the lam.

He was snared Thursday morning by animal protection officials after keeping them and Quebec provincial police on the hunt for days.

The cagy critter had escaped from his home in St-Hyacinthe, east of Montreal, on Sunday and a dragnet was launched.

But Bacon seemed to move like greased lightning when pursuers were around.

"The animal had been seen a few times during the week but it was impossible to catch him," said provincial police Sgt. Joyce Kemp.

A photo of one pursuit posted on a radio station website shows the fleet-footed porker darting away from an official.

Some residents reported that hog havoc was wreaked on local lawns but Kemp was unable to confirm that.

On Thursday, police and animal control began to bore

Cop chase

Bacon's breakout isn't the Quebec provincial force's first animal roundup.

- **Mink mayhem.** In August, officers were called when 3,000 minks were set loose at a fur farm.
- **Tiger tale.** One of their most intense hunts was in 2010 when a tiger and two camels from an Ontario zoo were snatched in their trailers by thieves.

in on their prey and a trap was set. "They were able to catch him and the pig is fine," said Kemp.

Despite being called Bacon, that isn't a prediction of the pig's future. "It's not like a farm animal," Kemp said. "It's really like a pet."

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Fighting cancer with stripes

Gretchen Wagner shows off some of the zebrafish at Dalhousie University's new research lab in Halifax on Thursday afternoon. The new facility currently has more than 10,000 zebrafish, with capacity for up to 75,000, and will be used as part of a cancer research study. JEFF HARPER/METRO IN HALIFAX

Edmonton

Homeless pianist a hit on YouTube

A woman is hoping to find a man believed to be homeless whom she discovered playing a street piano in downtown Edmonton.

Roslyn Polard says she was amazed last week by the dishevelled man's music, while others who stood by listening were brought to tears.

She recorded one of his songs on her cellphone and posted it on YouTube, where it has garnered nearly 2 million hits.

She says the video now has ads attached and is making money that she wants to give to the piano prodigy.

But all she knows is that his name is Ryan and she hasn't seen him since his amazing outdoor concert.

A spokesman with an Edmonton agency that helps the poor and homeless says Ryan was a client but hasn't been helped since last year.

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2018 World Cup. FIFA regrets video that shows Crimea part of Russia

FIFA has expressed regret on Thursday after its video launching the logo for the 2018 World Cup showed the disputed Crimean peninsula as part of Russia.

The video, broadcast as the logo was beamed onto Moscow's Bolshoi Theatre on Tuesday, included a map of host nation Russia, including Crimea.

Russia annexed the Crimean peninsula in March to fierce opposition from many Western governments. The Ukrainian government still claims Crimea as part of its territory.

The original video has been removed from FIFA's YouTube channel and replaced with an edited version excluding the two-second sequence in which the map of Russia was shown.

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Nurse defies Ebola quarantine

Maine. Kaci Hickox, who spent time treating patients in Sierra Leone, was the first forced into New Jersey's mandatory quarantine

A nurse who vowed to defy Maine's voluntary quarantine for health-care workers who treated Ebola patients followed through on her promise Thursday, leaving her home for an hour-long bike ride.

Kaci Hickox and her boyfriend stepped out of their home Thursday morning and rode away on mountain bikes, followed by a state police cruiser.

It was the second time Hickox broke quarantine. She left her home Wednesday evening briefly to speak to reporters, even shaking a hand that was offered to her.

Hickox contends there's no need for quarantine because she's showing no symptoms. She's also tested negative for the deadly disease.

Legality and guidelines

Generally, states have broad authority when it comes to such matters. But Maine health officials could have a tough time convincing a judge that Hickox poses a threat, said attorney Jackie L. Caynon III, who specializes in health law in Worcester, Mass.

- Guidelines from the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommend daily monitoring for health-care workers like Hickox who have come into contact with Ebola patients. But some states like Maine are going above and beyond those guidelines.

"I really hope that we can work things out amicably and continue to negotiate," she said Thursday morning while riding on a dirt trail. There was no immediate comment from state health officials, who were going to court to detain Hickox

for the remainder of the 21-day incubation period for Ebola that ends on Nov. 10.

"There's a lot of misinformation about how Ebola is transmitted, and I can understand why people are frightened. But their fear is not based on medical facts," Norman Siegel, one of her attorneys, said Wednesday.

Hickox, who treated Ebola patients while volunteering in Sierra Leone with Doctors Without Borders, was the first person forced into New Jersey's mandatory quarantine for people arriving at the Newark airport from three West African countries. Hickox spent the weekend in a tent in New Jersey before travelling to the home of her boyfriend.

State law allows a judge to grant temporary custody of someone if health officials demonstrate "a clear and immediate public health threat." The state's court filing was expected Thursday, officials said.

If a judge grants the state request, then Hickox will appeal the decision on constitutional grounds, necessitating a hearing, Siegel said.

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Nurse Kaci Hickox leaves her home on a rural road in Fort Kent, Maine, for a bike ride with her boyfriend on Thursday. ROBERT F. BUKATY/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

North Korea to crack down on tourists over fears of Ebola virus

North Korea announced Thursday it will quarantine foreigners entering the country for 21 days over fears of the spread of the Ebola virus, even though no cases of the disease have been reported anywhere in Asia, and very few foreigners are allowed to enter.

North Korea is always on

guard against outside influences, but now that it perceives the deadly disease to be a threat, its anxiety has reached a new level. It has banned tourists, put business groups on hold and is looking even more suspiciously than usual at every foreign face coming across its borders.

Case in point: When a high-level delegation from Japan arrived in Pyongyang this week, two of the first people they met were dressed in full hazmat gear. The steps also send a message to the North Korean people to be very afraid of the outside world and of outside influences. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Online deals

Philly police turn department lobby, parking lot into 'safe zone' for online transactions

A police department in suburban Philadelphia has created a "safe zone" for people to complete transactions they arranged online.

The Conshohocken Police Department said individuals making purchases through Craigslist and other sites are free to complete deals in the department's lobby or parking lot. Police say the decision is not a response to any crimes associated with online purchases.

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'Technology and stuff.' #ChevyGuy to keep his job, despite national blooper

Shortly before 9 a.m. on the day after the worst night of his life, Rikk Wilde got a call from his boss at General Motors.

Yes, he committed a nationally televised, major-league blooper while presenting pickup truck keys to the World Series MVP. No, he wouldn't be fired. Now get out there and sell some trucks.

GM had lined up Wilde, a lifelong Royals fan, for the postgame presentation because he's a good employee and loves baseball. There was hope that he'd be giving the keys to a Chevrolet Colorado to someone on the home team. But instead it went to San Francisco Giants

ace Madison Bumgarner, who saved Game 7 by shutting out the Royals for five innings.

Wilde had practised for the moment, an effort to draw attention to GM's newest product, and brought notes just in case he forgot something. He did. He stumbled and had to look to his notes. He ad-libbed a line that would bring guffaws on social media: "It combines class-winning and leading, you know, technology and stuff, with Wi-Fi powered by OnStar."

#Technologyandstuff was trending on Twitter, as was #ChevyGuy, with many comparing Wilde to the late Chris Farley. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Sweden recognizes Palestinian state, upsetting Israelis

135th country to do it. 'There is a territory, a people and government,' Swedish foreign minister says, defending the position

Sweden on Thursday became the biggest Western European country to recognize a Palestinian state, prompting a strong protest from Israel, which swiftly withdrew its ambassador from Stockholm.

The move by Sweden's new left-leaning government reflects growing international impatience with Israel's nearly half-century control of the West Bank, east Jerusalem and its blockade of

'Principled decision'

Hanan Ashrawi, a senior Palestinian official, welcomed the move by Sweden, a European Union member, as "a principled and courageous decision."

- Israel says Palestinians can gain independence only through peace negotiations, and that recognition of Palestine at the UN or by individual countries undermines the negotiating process.

the Gaza Strip. It also comes during increased tensions between Arabs and Jews over Israel's plans to build 1,000 housing units in east Jerusalem.

Foreign Minister Mar-

got Wallstrom said Sweden, fulfilling a promise made when the Social Democratic government took office earlier this month, believes the Palestinians have met the criteria under international law for such recognition. "There is a territory, a people and government," she told reporters in Stockholm, adding that Sweden was the 135th country in the world to recognize a Palestinian state.

It is the third Western European nation to do so, after Malta and Cyprus. Some Eastern European countries recognized a Palestinian state during the Cold War. Israel was quick to condemn the announcement. Foreign Minister Avigdor Lieberman described it as "a miserable decision." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Locking up style at prison

In this photo, taken Monday, a model waits to walk on a runway before a show in Neve Tirza prison for women in Ramle, central Israel. Prisoners studying makeup application or hairdressing at the jail joined in to style the models. **ODED BALILTY/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

France

French town bans clown disguise

A small town outside Montpellier in southern France has banned people from disguising themselves as clowns in the streets — especially on Halloween.

This week's decision by Mayor Pierre Dudiezere of Vendargues follows a series of incidents around France in which people dressed as scary clowns spooked children and in several cases assaulted people. In one incident, an adolescent assaulted a passerby with an iron bar.

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Haiti

Rower robbed of food, passport

A U.S. man who recently rowed across the Atlantic Ocean to raise awareness about HIV testing has been robbed off Haiti's north coast.

The U.S. Coast Guard says the incident occurred when Victor Mooney began having trouble with his boat on Thursday near Tortuga Island.

The Brooklyn native was headed back to the U.S. from his trans-Atlantic journey but had diverted toward Haiti on advice of his U.S. weather router. Mooney said he saw several fishing boats approach and that people aboard them began yelling in a language he did not understand as they tied his boat to theirs. Mooney said people ransacked his rowing vessel once he reached the island.

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Iraqi-Kurd peshmerga arrive in Kobani



A staging area where Iraqi-Kurdish peshmerga fighters are stationed near the Turkey-Syria border, across from Kobani. **VADIM GHIRDA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

A vanguard force of Iraqi peshmerga troops entered the embattled Syrian border town of Kobani from Turkey on Thursday, part of a larger group of 150 fighters that the Kurds hope will turn back an offensive by militants of the Islamic State group.

The deployment, accompanied by 50 members of the Free Syrian Army, was condemned by Syria's government as an act of Turkish aggression and a "blatant violation of Syrian sovereignty."

The first group of Kurdish fighters crossed into Syria following heavy overnight clashes as ISIS extremists unsuccessfully tried to capture the frontier post, the only gateway in and out of the town.

Kobani is under attack by the militants from three sides despite weeks of airstrikes by a U.S.-led coalition.

Mustafa Bali, an activist based in the town, said the remaining troops will follow later in instalments as a security precaution because the ISIS fighters were targeting the border area.

The first 10 are now with the People's Protection Units and they include doctors and fighters and the rest are expected to enter in the coming hours at night," Bali said.

The People's Protection Units are the main force in predominantly Kurdish regions of Syria. There are about 1,000 Syrian Kurdish fighters and 3,000 jihadis in Kobani.

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Double-double, toil and trouble for Tim Hortons?

Report. Takeover by Burger King could have some scary consequences, such as massive layoffs

Widespread layoffs and strict cost-cutting measures could befall Tim Hortons if Burger King's parent company takes over the chain, says a study from the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives.

The left-leaning think-tank released a scathing review of 3G Capital's past takeovers on Thursday and concluded that the Brazilian private equity firm's track record is predictive of "overwhelmingly negative consequences for Canadians" and the Tim Hortons restaurant chain.

"Without additional



Tim Hortons takeover by Burger King may prove stale for Canadians. JONATHAN HAYWARD/THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

strong assurances from 3G Capital that no jobs will be lost ... this may not be in the net benefit of Canada," said CCPA senior economist

David Macdonald, who was involved in the preparation of the report.

The policy centre said 3G Capital hasn't made a

suitable case for how the merged company benefits Canadians and it's urging the federal government to demand "a better deal" be-

fore it approves the transaction.

Included in its analysis is the assumption that the investment company, in its \$11-billion US takeover of the Canadian company, would follow a similar playbook to past takeovers.

The report suggests 3G Capital's debt financing could force Tim Hortons to layoff more than 700 employees — or 44 per cent of staff working outside its restaurants — as it tries to manage the debt of the merged company.

In response to the study, Tim Hortons spokesman Scott Bonikowsky said the merged company intends to keep the Tim Hortons brand independent of its owner and maintain "traditional levels of community support, restaurant-level jobs and franchisee relationships." **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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TV, mobile content

Rogers teams up with Vice Media to target Millennials

Rogers Communications is teaming with pugacious cultural magazine and digital outlet Vice Media in a \$100-million joint venture that will launch a new TV channel and open a production studio in downtown Toronto.

The partnership between Montreal-created Vice and Canadian media giant Rogers will begin next year with the Vice TV Network in Canada and a digital distribution model that will let Rogers chase the 18- to 34-year-old demographic with exclusive mobile content.

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HBO's scripted library

Don't Curb Your Enthusiasm ... Bell starts a video streaming service

Bell Media is launching a new video streaming service that will include the entire HBO scripted library.

The company says the subscription service, code-named Project Latte, will feature premium programming, including *The Sopranos*, *The Wire* and *Sex and the City*.

The Wire streaming will mark the first time the series is presented in HD.

Other HBO programs in the service include *Six Feet Under*, *Band of Brothers*, *Curb Your Enthusiasm*, *Big Love*, *Entourage* and *In Treatment*. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Apple CEO. Tim Cook smashes the glass closet

Apple CEO Tim Cook says he's proud to be gay.

The public declaration, in an essay written for Bloomberg Businessweek, makes Cook the highest-profile business CEO to come out as gay.

Cook said that while he never denied his sexuality, he never publicly acknowledged it, either. The executive said that for years he's been open with many people about his sexual orientation and that plenty of his Apple colleagues know he is gay.

Cook wrote in the column, published Thursday, that it wasn't an easy choice to publicly disclose that he is gay, but that he felt the acknowledgment could help others.

"I've come to realize that my desire for personal privacy has been holding me back from doing something more important," he wrote.

Three days ago, Cook challenged his home state of Alabama to better ensure the rights of the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community.

Alabama is among the states that do not recognize same-sex marriage, and it also doesn't offer legal protections on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity. Cook is a na-



Apple CEO Tim Cook
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tive of Robertsdale, Ala., and attended Auburn University.

The announcement is a "huge deal," said Richard Metheny of executive search firm Witt/Kieffer.

"This really sets the stage for 'It's OK,'" he said. "Anything CEOs do is very magnified, very complicated, and it affects a lot of people.... There's no taking away that he has become a role model and will have a positive influence on lots of people that would like to be comfortable being out in the world of business." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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1,000 ways to be a family. An inspiring section on the Canadian blog TheNewFamily.com, The 1,000 Families Project, looks at all the different variations on modern family life. Among the range of first-person stories is a recent entry from blog founder Brandie Weikle about her own "conscious uncoupling" with her ex long before Gwyneth Paltrow made the term infamous. Must read.

Canadian vs. American beer. A BuzzFeed video of a Canadian-versus-American beer taste test has generated more than 370,000 views since being posted. In other words, more than 370,000 people have wasted time watching a video when everyone knows Canadian beer is the best and American beer sucks and tastes like water, eh?

Strombo and Kypreos. The pairing of George Stroumboulopoulos and Nick Kypreos is still getting mixed reaction a few weeks after the launch of the new Hockey Night In Canada. Each



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on his own — great. But their chemistry together? A tad awkward. This Hour Has 22 Minutes did a hilarious spoof recently showing Strombo on the set in his skinny jeans Instagramming selfies of himself with Kipper. Brilliant.

4 Kim loves BlackBerry. Kim Kardashian West revealed this week that she is hoarding BlackBerry Bold phones out of fear that they will be discontinued, as she loves the keyboard for typing. "I love a BlackBerry, and every time I say that, people are horrified that I have a BlackBerry, and I don't understand that reaction." I have a BlackBerry, too, Kim, and get the same puzzled looks.

5 Robbie Williams. The singer decided to live-blog the birth of his second daughter with wife Ayda in Twitter pictures and YouTube videos. This was so wrong on so many levels, but yet you couldn't help but look. Because this is the age we live in where nothing is private. Luckily,

the "coverage" concluded just before she went into labour.

6 Extra hour's sleep! You might not have heard yet — so you can thank me — but this weekend daylight time ends. Which means your clocks go back an hour. Which means you get a whole extra hour's sleep. Well, unless you're a parent with young kids. D'oh.

7 Halloween. The Boston Bruins have an amazing annual Halloween tradition where they visit Boston Children's Hospital. On Monday, they did again — dressing as characters from Disney's hit film Frozen. They even did renditions of Let It Go, which while not pretty were all great fun. Kudos.

8 #iBelieveThem. With more and more women coming forward about alleged assaults from Jian Ghomeshi, a tremendous show of support was displayed for these women on social media by people tweeting using the hashtags #iBelieveHer and #iBelieveThem in reference to the victims. As well, Jian's FB post about the allegations has seen its popularity plummet, with people unliking it in droves.

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Just you and the keytar this Halloween?

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Brett Domino is a talented and humble man. Talented because he can write a damn catchy pop tune, chops he showed off in an earlier video that boasted how easy it was to write a summer pop song. Humble because he thinks us regular folk can do it, too. Domino is back to rub it in our faces again, this time to show us how quickly he can whip up a Halloween pop jam. He tries to make it seem spookily simple. But really, he's just terrifyingly talented. (Brett Domino/YouTube)



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@metropicks asked: A woman claims to have captured paranormal audio in a historic building. Tell us a supernatural tale in 140 characters or less.

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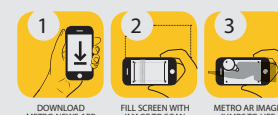
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Examining the night within us

Movies. As *Maps to the Stars* opens, Metro's Richard Crouse takes a look at director David Cronenberg's darkest works

Hollywood — self-obsessed child that it is — enjoys turning the camera on itself, but with *Maps to the Stars*, director David Cronenberg uses the city as a palette to paint a picture of the stupid, venal and stratospherically self-involved behaviour that goes on behind the scenes in Beverly Hills's gated communities and back lots.

At the centre of the film are the Weisses, a Hollywood family (John Cusack, Olivia Williams and Evan Bird) with more secrets than TMZ's too-hot-to-handle file, Havana Segrand (Julianne Moore), a former big name actress who is now as messed up as she is washed up and Agatha (Mia Wasikowska), a burn victim with schizophrenia whose presence threatens to expose closely guarded secrets.

This may be the most sun-dappled film Cronenberg has ever made, but don't let the light fool you; it's also one of his darkest. I say one of his darkest because the 71-year-old director has frequently visited what Victor Hugo called "night within us," provoking Village Voice to call him, "the most audacious and challenging narrative director in the English-speaking world."

Spider, a trip into the mind



Maps to the Stars opens in theatres this weekend. CONTRIBUTED

In Review

RICHARD CROUSE



Maps to the Stars

Director. David Cronenberg

Stars. Julianne Moore, John Cusack, Robert Pattinson, Mia Wasikowska

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At the centre of David Cronenberg's film is a Hollywood family — played by John Cusack, Olivia Williams and Evan Bird.

Orbiting them are a former big name actress (Julianne Moore) and a burn victim (Mia Wasikowska), whose presence threatens to expose closely guarded secrets. The terrific performances and decidedly un-Hollywood feel of this, the most Hollywood of Cronenberg's films, make *Maps* a compelling psychological thriller.

of a severely mentally disturbed man starring Ralph Fiennes, is a case in point. Called "Cronenberg's most depressingly bleak film," by critic Ken Hanke, the 2002 film sees Fiennes deliver a virtually dialogue-free performance as the title character. But it is Miranda Richardson as several characters — all the women in Spider's life — who really steals the show. It's a spooky, cerebral thriller.

The Brood is probably Cronenberg's most traditional horror film. Featuring murderous psychoplastic kids, experimental psychotherapist Oliver Reed and Samantha Eggar as a fetus-licking mother, it is the very stuff that nightmares are made of. It's lesser seen than *The Fly* or *Dead Zone* and way more down-and-dirty.

A *Dangerous Mind*, the tautly told story of two psychoanalysts you've heard of, Dr. Carl Jung (Michael Fassbender) and Sigmund Freud (Viggo Mortensen), plus one you've probably never heard of, Sabina Spielrein (Keira Knightley), sees Cronenberg combine a love story and birth of modern analysis. The almost total lack of physical action means the focus is on the words. Some will see a film rich with dialogue, others will see it as verbose.

Finally, in *Cosmopolis*, Cronenberg takes us along for an existential road trip through the breakdown of modern society. Based on a novel by Don DeLillo and starring Robert Pattinson as a controlling and self-destructive billionaire, the movie covers the gamut of human experience.

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Cronenberg is a creature of comfort

David Cronenberg may have a career that's lasted nearly five decades but he's still discovering his muses. His latest film, *Maps to the Stars*, notably marks a reunion with actor Robert Pattinson. "It's exciting to cast an actor that you worked with and you get along with," said Cronenberg. "It gives you comfort in that you have a comrade in arms who you know will not crack." In light of *Maps*' theatrical release on Friday, we take a look at Cronenberg's favourite young comrades.

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Robert Pattinson

History: *Maps to the Stars* marks the second partnership with Cronenberg after *Cosmopolis*. In the 2013 film, he played a powerful billionaire being chauffeured in his limo. In *Maps*, he's a naïve limo driver desperate to be a star.

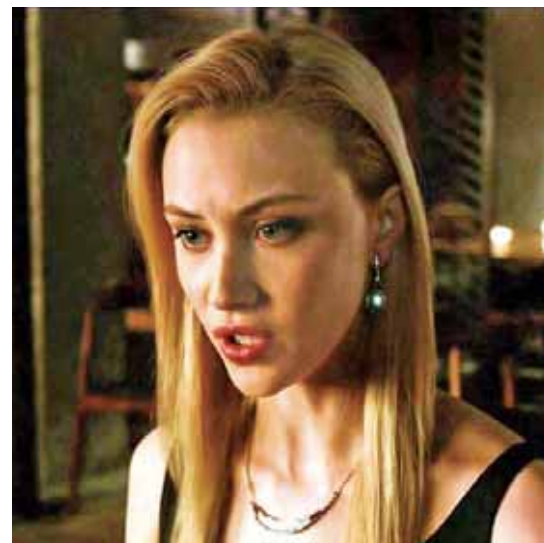
Cronenberg: "Rob is a lovely sweet guy to work with. Of course he's got charisma because he wouldn't have been the success that he was, even in *Twilight*, without having something, but I think he's much more chameleon-like than people give him credit for."



Sarah Gadon

History: Gadon is perhaps Cronenberg's most frequent muse, with three collaborations in her filmography (*Maps*, *A Dangerous Method* and *Cosmopolis*). In fact, the Toronto talent is practically part of the family now having also starred in the 2012 thriller *Antiviral* (directed by David's son, Brandon).

Cronenberg: "She's really magical. She's got such an amazing presence and face, great voice and (she's) tough artistically — she's not afraid of anything."



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Viggo Mortensen

History: Cronenberg may be partly responsible for the actor's sole Oscar nomination, for a wrenching role in *Eastern Promises*, but don't overlook the duo's other captivating collaborations: *A History of Violence* and the Sigmund Freud biopic, *A Dangerous Method*.

Cronenberg: "Getting Viggo to play Freud, he's never done anything like that. It's scary for both of us but he had to trust me. He didn't think he could do it, but once he plugged into it and you get the fake nose and he puts on some weight and suddenly the beard — it's Freud!"



Now in theatres

Mystery & Suspense



Horns

Director. Alexandre Aja

Stars. James Remar,
Daniel Radcliffe

Based on the novel by Joe Hill, *Horns* is a supernatural thriller. The film follows Ig Perrish (Daniel Radcliffe), the No. 1 suspect for the violent rape and murder of his girlfriend, Merrin (Juno Temple). Hungover from a night of hard drinking, Ig awakens one morning to find horns starting to grow from his own head and soon realizes their power drives people to confess their sins.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 58% Audience: 93%

Mystery & Suspense



White Bird in a Blizzard

Director. Gregg Araki

Stars. Shailene Woodley,
Christopher Meloni

Kat Connors is 17 years old when her perfect homemaker mother, Eve, a beautiful, enigmatic, and haunted woman, disappears — just as Kat is discovering and relishing her newfound sexuality. Having lived for so long in a stifled, emotionally repressed household, she barely registers her mother's absence and certainly doesn't blame her doormat of a father, Brock, for the loss.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 53% Audience: 92%

Drama



Nightcrawler

Director. Dan Gilroy

Stars. Jake Gyllenhaal,
Rene Russo

Nightcrawler is a pulse-pounding thriller set in the underbelly of contemporary Los Angeles. Jake Gyllenhaal stars as Lou Bloom, a driven young man desperate for work who discovers the high-speed world of L.A. crime journalism. Finding a group of freelance camera crews who film crashes, fires, murder and other mayhem, Lou muscles into the cutthroat, dangerous realm of nightcrawling.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 89% Audience: 90%

Drama



Mommy

Director. Xavier Dolan

Stars. Anne Dorval, Suzanne
Clément

A feisty widowed single mom finds herself burdened with the full-time custody of her unpredictable 15-year-old ADHD son. As they struggle to make ends meet, Kyla, the peculiar new neighbour across the street, offers her help. Together, they find a new sense of balance, and hope is regained.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 90% Audience: 99%

Drama



Rudderless

Director. William H. Macy

Stars. Billy Crudup,
Anton Yelchin

Billy Crudup plays Sam, a former high-profile advertising executive whose life is torn apart by the sudden death of his son. Living off the grid on a docked sailboat, he wastes away his days while drowning his pain in alcohol. When Sam discovers a box filled with his son's demo tapes and lyrics, his own child's musical talent is a revelation for him, a grieving father who felt he'd been absent from his son's life.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 57% Audience: 88%

Comedy



St. Vincent

Director. Theodore Melfi

Stars. Bill Murray,
Melissa McCarthy

Maggie (McCarthy), a single mother, moves into a new home in Brooklyn with her 12-year old son, Oliver (Lieberher). Forced to work long hours, she has no choice but to leave Oliver in the care of their new neighbour, Vincent (Murray), a retired curmudgeon with a penchant for alcohol and gambling. An odd friendship soon blossoms between the improbable pair.

Rotten Tomatoes™ score
Critics: 64% Audience: 95%

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Superhero nirvana

Marvel announced its slate of films coming out between now and 2019. We put together this handy guide to keep you apprised of the superhero franchise.

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May 1, 2015



The Avengers: Age of Ultron

Need to know: The plot, according to IMDB.com, sees things go awry when Tony Stark — Iron Man — tries to jumpstart a dormant peacekeeping program. The villainous Ultron is voiced by James Spader.

July 17, 2015

Ant-Man

Need to know: Peyton Reed is directing this story of a former con-man who can shrink when he dons a super-suit. Paul Rudd will star as Ant-Man, along with Evangeline Lilly, Michael Peña and Michael Douglas.



May 6, 2016



Captain America: Civil War

Need to know: Civil War will pit Captain America and Iron Man against each other and will also mark the debut of Black Panther to the film franchise.

Nov. 4, 2016

Doctor Strange

Need to know: British actor Benedict Cumberbatch has been widely rumoured to be tapped to play Doctor Strange, a sorcery-centric protector of Earth.



May 5, 2017



Guardians of the Galaxy 2

Need to know: No plot synopsis has been released, but James Gunn is scheduled to again write and direct the follow up to his 2014 Guardians film.

July 28, 2017

Thor: Ragnarok

Need to know: In the comics, Ragnarok is a cyberg-clone of Thor, created by Tony Stark and members of the Avengers after Thor goes missing.



Nov. 3, 2017

Black Panther

Need to know: Chadwick Boseman is slated to portray Black Panther. In the comics, Black Panther is the leader of the fictional African nation of Wakanda who becomes a member of The Avengers.



May 4, 2018/May 3, 2019

The Avengers: Infinity War Parts I and II

Need to know: The third film is split. The details are scant, but comic series centred on the Infinity Gauntlet, which gives its possessor godlike powers.



July 6, 2018



Captain Marvel

Need to know: Captain Marvel marks the studio's first films centred on a woman from Marvel comics. The iteration will be Carol Danvers, an Air Force officer whose adventures take her into space.

Nov. 2, 2018

Inhumans

Need to know: The Inhumans are a race of superhumans who first appeared in Marvel in the 1960s.



Studio survival

Superheroes reap super returns

Money-makers: So-called "tent pole" films — big money-making movies that are often sequels to tried-and-tested blockbusters — are increasingly important to studios, as the movie-watching experience fragments with online viewing. The first Avengers movie and last year's Iron Man 3 are among the top five grossing films ever, together earning more than \$2.7 billion worldwide.

DC Comics: In mid-October, Warner Bros. announced a slate of 10 films based on DC Comics characters, including The Flash, Aquaman, Cyborg, Wonder Woman and Shazam.



Crawling through the night with Rene Russo

Q&A. Self-confirmed night owl confronts the morality of paparazzi crossing privacy boundaries



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Metro World News in Hollywood

What's Rene Russo been up to lately? Staying up late, avoiding restaurants that

tip-off TMZ and worrying about drones. So you know, the usual. In Nightcrawler, written and directed by her husband Dan Gilroy, Russo stars as a tough but desperate news director at a failing L.A. station who turns to a freelance videographer (Jake Gyllenhaal) for some sensational footage.

At what point did Dan first tell you about this idea?

A long time ago he told me about it. He came home one day and told me about night-

crawlers. I had no idea.

I have a friend and I'm a night person, and I'll be out at 2 o'clock in the morning. So now I'm looking around me going, "Whoa, is that a nightcrawler?"

You have a habit of going out late at night?

Nighttime for me is really magical. I love the night. I'll just go out into my backyard and look at the moon at night. I've seen some beautiful moonsets.

The work that these guys do made me think of paparazzi. Look, here's the deal with that: I am not Angelina Jolie. I can pretty much go out of my house. Has TMZ come up to me? Yes. I deal with things with humour. This is what it is, so have some fun.

But I am not Lindsay Lohan, that's not who I am. I think if that were my life, it would be very different, it would be really, really hard for me. Because I'm very private.



Rene Russo and Jake Gyllenhaal star in Nightcrawler. CONTRIBUTED

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Days of My Youth (STC) Mon 6:45
Living Is Easy With Eyes Closed (14A) Fri 6:59 Sat 4:05-9:25 Sun 3:55 Mon 4:20 Tue 6:40
Mommy (14A) Fri 4:01 Sat 6:30 Sun 1:01-6:15 Mon-Tue 8:59 Wed 4:01 Thu 6:25
A Most Wanted Man (14A) Sat 1:30 Sun 9:05
O Brother, Where Art Thou? (PG) Thu 9:20
Shaun of the Dead (18A) Fri 9:25

Canadian Film Institute 2 Daly Ave., Suite 120

No Films Showing Today (STC) Fri-Thu

Canadian Museum of nature 240 McLeod St.

Penguins 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 10:30-1:10 3:40 Fri-Thu 11:15-1:50
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Happy New Year (PG) Fri-Sun 1:30-5:50-9:40 Mon-Thu 5:50-9:40
Interstellar (PG) No Passes Thu 8
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The Maze Runner (PG) Fri-Thu 10
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Mayfair Theatre 1074 Bank St.

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The Hundred-Foot Journey (PG)

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Ottawa Film Society (STC) Tue-Thu 7-9:30
The Rocky Horror Picture Show (14A) Fri 6:30-9:15-11:55
Rudderless (14A) Sat 9 Sun 8:30 Thu 4:45

Ottawa Family Cinema 710 Broadview Ave.

No Films Showing Today (STC) Sun-Thu

Rainbow Cinemas St. Laurent Centre, 1200 St. Laurent Blvd.

The Boxtrolls (G) Fri-Thu 10:20-12:25-2:40-4:50
Dolphin Tale 2 (G) Fri-Thu 12:10-2:25-4:45
The Drop (14A) Fri-Thu 9:55-12:05-2:20-4:35-6:50-9:10
How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG) Fri-Thu 12:15-2:20-4:30
The Hundred-Foot Journey (PG) Fri-Thu 10-6:40-9:05
Kill the Messenger (14A) Fri-Thu 7-9:20
Let's Be Cops (14A) Fri-Thu 10:10-7:05-9:15
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (PG) Fri-Thu 10:40-3:50
This Is Where I Leave You (14A) Fri-Wed 1:10-6:30-8:50 Thu 6:30-8:50 Thu 1:10

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Sound Check

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3 songs
for the
weekend

A modern take on the Monster Mash, a spooky track from Daemon and a public health message about Ebola

See that symbol? It means you can scan this image with your Metro News app to listen to Alan's recommended songs this week.

**Modern
Monster
Mash/Key of
Awesome**

Bobby "Boris" Pickett released the Monster Mash way back in 1962. Finally, someone has brought the song into the 21st century. (Slightly NSFW.)

**The
Returned/
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If you're looking for something spooky but more ambient, try this track from San Francisco-based producer Daemon.

**Ebola in Town/
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A dance hit from western Africa that tells people what they should do in order to avoid contracting Ebola. Hey, whatever it takes to get the message out, right?

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Video game review

Name. Sunset Overdrive

For. Xbox One

Rated. Mature 17+

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When a new fizzy drink triggers a zombie-mutant apocalypse, your ability to skateboard, grind power lines and punk-parkour street obstacles prove valuable to a group of misfits. While most games reward you with fanfare, Sunset Overdrive uses boundless creativity, dropping gags and hilarious characters across a sprawling city of fun tasks and customizations. Vinyl record-shooting rifles and acidic lawn sprinklers are



among the gimmicks that prove what's crazy can also be smart and keep you coming back for more. **KRIS ABEL**

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It's slime time. This Ghostbusters pinball machine is loaded with movie music and effects. There are eight flippers to trigger multi-ball, cross the streams, and hopefully defeat the Stay Puft Marshmallow Man.

At 40, Hello Kitty is still just a girl

Pop culture. Everything you need to know about Hello Kitty, who's got a milestone birthday Nov. 1

Hello Kitty didn't need a backstory — or even a mouth — to become a global phenomenon. Her image can be found on just about anything, from the predictable plush toys and lunch boxes to the not-so-predictable: surfboards, motor oil, an air purifier, kitchen gadgets, jewelry, light bulbs and toilet paper.

"You could be born in a Hello Kitty maternity ward," said Dave Marchi, a spokesman for Sanrio, the Japanese company that created Hello Kitty in 1974. Here's what you need to know about the famous character, who turns 40 on Nov. 1.

Is she a cat or not?

People reacted with shock

when news emerged over the summer that Hello Kitty is not a cat, but it's really not so simple. "Sanrio does not reference her as a cat in the traditional sense: She doesn't meow, she doesn't drink milk from a bowl, she doesn't eat cat food," Marchi said. "It all comes down to how you want to describe this anthropomorphized figure. Obviously she looks like a cat. Some people want to think of her and describe her as a cat. But we at Sanrio always reference her as a little girl." He compared Hello Kitty to Mickey Mouse, a mouse that wears shorts, shoes and gloves.

Does Hello Kitty have a backstory?

According to the SanrioTown website, yes. Her full name is Kitty White. She lives in London, has a twin sister named Mimmy and a pet cat called Charmmy Kitty. She is about five apples tall. Her

favourite colour is red, and she enjoys playing piano and baking cookies.

Why is Hello Kitty so popular?

Branding expert Dorie Clark says Hello Kitty's simple, mouthless design lends to her broad appeal. "She's stoic, she's expressionless,

and people can put onto her almost any kind of emotion," she said. "She can mean almost anything to anyone."

There's also the nostalgia factor, as the character turns 40. "There's an audience of people who grew up with her ... who look back on her as a warm and familiar reminder of their childhood."

Does she belong to a larger cultural phenomenon?

She is part of the Japanese culture of cuteness known as kawaii, also seen in characters such as Pikachu. "It's something clever and creative, which contributes to a certain cool factor," anthropology professor Christine R. Yano, author of *Pink*

Globalization: Hello Kitty's *Trek Across the Pacific*, recently told the *Los Angeles Times*. "For example, take *Precious Moments* (collectibles). That's cute. But there's nothing cool about *Precious Moments*. Hello Kitty has the potential to be so many other things."

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Lady Gaga wears the Hello Kitty x Lady Gaga Plush Dress in this file photo. The first Hello Kitty Con, a festival of all things Kitty held in honour of the character's 40th birthday, takes place this weekend in Los Angeles. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

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Kendall and Kylie Jenner ALL PHOTOS: GETTY IMAGES

Dreams dashed for Kendall and Kylie as fans aren't buying what they're selling

They can't all be bestsellers, apparently. Since debuting in June, the sci-fi YA novel "written" by Kendall and Kylie Jenner, *Rebels: City of Indra*, has sold just 13,000 copies, which is totally not cute. So it's safe to assume the teens' long-term goals of launching a film franchise based on the book aren't going to pan out

either. "We were saying, if we were to do a movie, like, what would we want to do?" one of them explained during an interview with *Good Morning America* promoting the book's launch. "Like, if we were to be in it, like what movie would we want to be in?" That's a pretty big "if," young lady.

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I'm sitting at home pretending like I'm comfortable with myself.



@JuddApatow

I haven't done cardio since April. That sounds fancy. Haven't gotten off my ass since April. Just not into movement. Laying feels better



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What are the Terminator producers secretly up to?



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It was probably foolish to have any optimism at all about the new Terminator film due next summer — especially once its title, *Terminator Genisys*, was revealed. But now any hope for a decent entry into the franchise is gone.

In a first look at the film in *Entertainment Weekly*, some extremely troubling plot details are revealed: In this edition, young Sarah Connor (now played by *Games of Thrones* star Emilia Clarke) "was orphaned by a Terminator at the age of nine. Since then, she's been raised by ...

(Arnold) Schwarzenegger's Terminator — an older T-800 she calls Pops — who is programmed to guard rather than kill."

So does this mean that they're undoing the events of the first two films? Which happen to be the only good ones in the franchise? The film's production wrapped in August, but maybe it's not too late to send a screenwriter back in time and fix this.

But the news does at least feed into my Terminator behind-the-scenes theory: After defying the odds and making an awesome low-budget sci-fi movie followed by a groundbreaking, genre-defining sequel, the producers realized they could never top themselves, so they secretly set out to make each film successively worse. I didn't say it was a good plan.

Is it too late to scrap this movie and just bring back *The Sarah Connor Chronicles*?



Ben Affleck

Pass the sprinkles! Affleck and Damon bond over frozen yogurt

Ben Affleck finally returned Matt Damon's phone calls, apparently, as the *Good Will Hunting* scribes are teaming up to executive produce a new single-camera sitcom from 30 Rock writer Colleen McGuinness for Fox. And

while the show doesn't have a title yet, it does have a ridiculously awesome-sounding premise: A young frozen yogurt shop employee suddenly discovers she has telekinetic powers. Sign me up.



Jennifer Aniston

Aniston comes clean after being spotted without engagement ring

Several corners of the Celebrity Industrial Complex quaked with fear this week when Jennifer Aniston was spotted without the flashy engagement ring given to her by fiancé Justin Theroux. Was everything OK between the pair? Is the wedding off? Which *Friends* co-star will she turn to first for comfort?

But don't worry, false alarm everyone. "Everyone should calm down," Aniston's rep says. "The ring was just being cleaned and is safely back on her hand." Oh good. By the way, I hope can we start a trend of beginning every official statement with "Everyone should calm down." Or is that usually implied?

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Give dessert a disguise

Zebra Cake. Cutting into this dessert offers a delicious surprise



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1. With rack in middle position, preheat oven to 350 F.
2. Butter 8-inch (20 cm) spring-form pan and line bottom with parchment paper. Set aside.
3. In a bowl, combine flour, baking powder, salt. Set aside.
4. In another bowl, beat eggs with the sugar and vanilla until the mixture lightens and forms a ribbon. Drizzle in the oil while

Ingredients

- 2 1/2 cups (625 ml) unbleached all-purpose flour, sifted
- 2 1/2 tsp (12 1/2 ml) baking powder
- 1/4 tsp (1 ml) salt
- 3 eggs
- 1 1/2 cups (375 ml) sugar
- 1 tsp (5 ml) vanilla extract
- 1 cup (250 ml) canola oil
- 1 cup (250 ml) milk
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) cocoa powder, sifted
- Two 3 tbsp (45 ml) ice cream scoops

Chocolate Ganache

- 1/4 cup (60 ml) warm 34% cream
- 3 oz (85 g) dark chocolate, chopped

Icing

- 1 cup (250 ml) icing sugar
- 1 tbsp (15 ml) water



This recipe serves 10. COURTESY RICARDOCUISINE.COM

beating. At low speed, add the dry ingredients alternately with the milk until smooth.

5. Divide batter evenly into two separate bowls. Whisk cocoa powder into one of the bowls.

6. With 3 tbsp (45 ml) ice cream scoop, pour chocolate batter in centre of pan and allow to spread 20 seconds. With second ice cream scoop, pour same amount of vanilla batter in centre of chocolate batter. Al-

low again to spread 20 seconds. Repeat two steps alternately until all batter as been used. Bake 1 hour and 10 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in the centre of cake comes out clean. Let cool for 15 minutes. Unmould from the pan and let cool completely on a wire rack.

Chocolate Ganache

1. In a bowl, pour cream over dark chocolate. Let melt 1 minute. Whisk until smooth. Spread ganache on cake, letting

it slightly run down the sides.

Icing

1. In bowl, combine 1 cup (250 ml) of icing sugar with 1 tbsp (15 ml) of water. With pastry bag fitted with small tip, apply spiral of icing on ganache. From centre of spiral, drag tip of a knife outward to form a spider web. FOLLOW RICARDO ON SOCIAL MEDIA AND ON RICARDOCUISINE.COM OR SUBSCRIBE TO HIS MAGAZINE'S ENGLISH EDITION, WHICH LAUNCHED THIS SEPTEMBER!

Liquid Assets

An array of ghoulish sips



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Halloween treats aren't just made for kids.

The variety of All Hallow's Eve-inspired adult libations has never been greater, which means you can have a sip of the season while waiting for fairy princesses and geeks in homemade hazmat suits to come knocking on your door.

Pumpkin beers are all the rage. The Maritimes can get its gourd on thanks to Propeller Brewery's Pumpkin Ale (6x341ml, \$13.25). For Ontario, craft beer fans have Great Lakes' Pumpkin Ale (650ml, \$4.95). And readers out west can enjoy Howe Sound's Pumpkineater Imperial Pumpkin Ale (1L, \$8.75).

SNL veteran Dan Aykroyd ships his Crystal Head Vodka (\$44.98 - \$54.99) in a spooky bottle shaped like a human skull, making it the ultimate way to Halloween-up your Bloody Caesar.

In wine, the devil is hotter than, well, you know where. The just-

released 2012 Diabolica Red (\$13.99 - \$18.99) is from B.C.'s Okanagan Valley. A merlot-led blend

of five grapes, its balanced mix of cherry and red licorice tastes heavenly.

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This recipe makes six large marshmallows. COURTESY RICARDOCUISINE.COM

The sweetest ghosts you ever did eat

For the little monsters in attendance, Marshmallow Ghosts are a surefire hit.

1. Lightly oil 6 Popsicle moulds.

2. In a small saucepan, sprinkle the gelatin over the water and let bloom for 5 minutes.

3. Add the sugar and warm over low heat, stirring until the sugar and gelatin have dissolved. Pour into a bowl. Add the corn syrup and vanilla and beat with an electric mixer until it forms a soft meringue.

Ingredients

- Vegetable oil
- 1 tbsp (15 ml) powdered gelatin
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) water
- 1/3 cup (75 ml) sugar
- 1/3 cup (75 ml) light corn syrup
- 1/2 tsp (2.5 ml) vanilla extract
- 6 long lollipop or coffee sticks

- 1/4 cup (60 ml) icing sugar
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) cornstarch

Icing

- 1/4 cup (60 ml) icing sugar
- A few drops of water
- Black gel food colouring

With a pastry bag fitted with a large tip, fill the Popsicle moulds. Insert a lollipop stick in the centre of each mould and refrigerate for 2 hours.

4. On a plate, combine the icing sugar and cornstarch.

5. Unmould the marshmallows and gently roll in the

icing sugar mixture. Shake to remove any excess. Place the ghosts in a tall glass filled with small black and orange pebbles.

Icing

6. In a bowl, combine the icing sugar, water and food colouring. Use a paper cone or a small pastry bag to form the eyes on the ghosts.

7. Keep the marshmallows, well wrapped, at room temperature.

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Security. Guaranteed 'zombie-proof' cabin unveiled just in time to thwart undead trick-or-treaters

A zombie attack could happen at any time — but with Halloween just around the corner, it's best to be prepared.

Luckily, a U.K. building company has launched the ZFC-1 Zombie Fortification Cabin, a zombie-proof shed offering guaranteed protection against "all forms of possible zombie attacks."

Comprising three sections separated by lockable doors for extra security, the cabin features a garage (for the get-away car), built-in food storage units and a residential area including a living room, kitchen, bedroom, toilet and a gym.

A plasma TV, an Xbox, a fireplace and kitchen units have all been incorporated into the concept.

Additional defence features include decking, which provides a panoramic vantage point for spotting any approaching zombies and extra secure doors and double glazed windows.

The wooden cabin is made



The ZFC-1 Zombie Fortification Cabin. TIGERLOGCABIN.COM

from 44 mm-thick timber, with cut logs along the side of the building making it almost impossible for zombies to climb on to the roof. Barbed wire has been added, just in case. **AFP**

Medical evidence required

- The cabin comes with a 10-year guarantee — although "medical

evidence of the presence of a real zombie" is required.

Furniture. Props to a leaning clothes rail that can be taken anywhere

It might look like furniture from a slick boutique, but this new clothing rail, which can be left propped up against any wall and disassembled in minutes, could be the next stylish alternative to bulky wardrobes.

Untitled Rail is a flexible option for micro living, featuring a bend which means it can be leaned against a wall for clothes storage that takes up minimal floor space.

The brainchild of French designer Marc Schulthess, the rail is made using the same tube-bending technique em-

ploied by modernists such as Le Corbusier.

The steel structure disassembles into four parts and is available in two different sizes of either 40 cm or 82 cm in width.

The idea was to create fashionable, portable storage for an urban generation constantly moving cities or simply travelling.

Currently listed on crowdfunding website Kickstarter, the rail can currently be ordered for pledges of about \$160 US or more. **AFP**



The Untitled Rail KICKSTARTER/MARC SCHULTHESS

Appliance. Alternative to kettle lets you drink tea while helping the planet

Is your tea habit killing the planet? Overfilling the kettle is something that 65 per cent of Brits admit to — but a handy new alternative could save time, water and energy.

Miito allows you to heat liquid directly in your mug, teapot or saucepan, using only the exact amount of water needed.

Comprising an induction base and a metal heating rod which is placed inside the vessel, the system can be used on a variety of liquids such as

soup or milk, and functions via "wireless energy transfer."

According to the Miito team, one day of energy saved from overfilling kettles would be enough to light all of the streetlights in England for a night.

The brainchild of designer Nils Chudy and his team, the concept made its debut last week at Dutch Design Week. The product is currently in the development stages and is not yet commercially available. **AFP**



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Furniture

3D connector is all you need to build furniture

A 3D-printed connector that can be used to create a range of furniture pieces took centre stage at the Biennale Interieur in Belgium this past week.

The brainchild of design studio Minala Meada, Keystones allows furniture to be built with basic materials by holding together its various components, meaning that no joinery skills are required to assemble pieces.

Currently available for tables and coat stands, Keystone's dimensions can be adjusted to fit the size and height of the table and the choice of material.

The furniture elements are clamped into the connector via printed screws that are integrated into the connectors and clamp the material. **AFP**



Keystones by Minala Meada BIENNALE INTERIEUR

NASL

Fury plays finale in Ft. Lauderdale

Ottawa Fury FC will end its inaugural NASL campaign in Ft. Lauderdale where the team played its very first game back on April 12.

The Fury came up short that night but did impress its supporters with a high compete level and an attacking style of play. Ottawa returns to South Florida hoping to end its season as spoilers as the Strikers can sew up the final playoff spot with a victory.

Ft. Lauderdale will lean heavily on striker Fafá Picault, the NASL's second leading scorer, to help the 2011 finalists return to the post-season. Ottawa hopes to end 2014 on a winning note behind Fury defender Mason Trafford who has played every minute of the Fury's 2014 campaign. Kickoff is 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

TIMOTHY COATES/FOR METRO

Tennis

Raonic eyes spot in ATP Finals

Canadian Milos Raonic defeated Spain's Roberto Bautista-Agut 7-5, 7-6 (7) to advance to the quarter-finals at the Paris Masters and remain alive in his bid to qualify for the season-ending ATP Finals.

After some uneven play in recent weeks, Raonic's confidence appears to be growing with each match. The 23-year-old can lock up a spot in the eight-man field next month by winning the Paris title.

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MLB

BoSox sign closer through 2016

The Boston Red Sox have signed closer Koji Uehara for two more years.

The all-star reliever will earn \$18 million through 2016.

Uehara joined the Red Sox in 2013 and earned the closer's role midway through the season. He was a key part of the team that won the franchise's third World Series in 10 years, striking out Matt Carpenter for the final out in Game 6 last year.

He finished 2014 with a 6-5 record and an ERA of 2.52. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Sens battle Blackhawks as Hockey Fights Cancer

Senators defenceman Jared Cowen lays out the Blackhawks' Brandon Saad during the first period of their matchup at the Canadian Tire Centre on Thursday night. The Sens entered the game with a 5-2-1 record following a 5-2 win over The Blue Jackets on Tuesday night. Thursday was also Hockey Fights Cancer night in Ottawa, which supports prostate cancer research and awareness. For the game story, go to metronews.ca.

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Redblacks hope to reward fan base

CFL. Expansion team looking to win its final game of the season for fans and spoil Ticats' playoff push

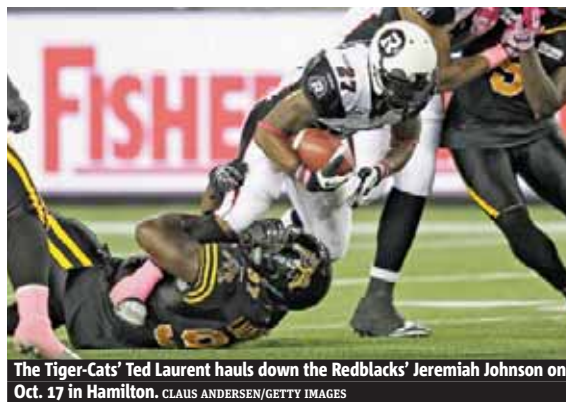
There has been little to celebrate at TD Place this season with the Ottawa Redblacks' 2-14 record, but that hasn't stopped fans from throwing their unwavering support behind the new football club.

The Redblacks host the Hamilton Tiger-Cats (7-9) Friday night in their last home game of the year and as of Thursday afternoon, the team was anticipating a ninth consecutive sellout.

Head coach Rick Campbell says he would love nothing more than to send fans home with a victory as their final memory of their inaugural season.

"If that (sellout) happens, it's a pretty cool deal and a pretty big deal that you could sell out a whole season of a brand new football team," said Campbell. "We want to give our fans something to cheer about. Our guys don't take it lightly about having a sellout for the whole season. It's a big deal and our players know it's a big deal."

In addition, Ottawa has the



The Tiger-Cats' Ted Laurent hauls down the Redblacks' Jeremiah Johnson on Oct. 17 in Hamilton. CLAUS ANDERSEN/GETTY IMAGES

opportunity to play the role of spoiler. The Tiger-Cats, tied with Toronto for second in the East Division, are looking to make the post-season; a win over the Redblacks could be essential to their playoff hopes.

"If there's one team and one game we want to win, it's this game right here," said Redblacks quarterback Henry Burris, who played for the Tiger-Cats last season and was released in the off-season. "Teams have played spoiler for us in our new season so hopefully we can play spoiler on this occasion."

Campbell says the team's focus is on its own game, but Jovon Johnson admitted the idea of spoiling Hamilton's playoff hopes is appealing.

"At this point, since we know we're not going forward in the playoffs and knowing how tight the race is in the East, we have every intention of playing spoiler," said Johnson. "That will definitely be part of the plan."

The Tiger-Cats haven't had much success on the road this season, going 1-7 away from Hamilton but have defeated Ottawa twice this season.

The two teams played two weeks ago where the Tiger-Cats defeated the Redblacks 16-6, but with a few adjustments the Redblacks believe the result could have been very different.

"We've just got to finish our drives on the offence," said Burris. "The defence did a great job of holding them at bay,

Week 19



Ticats at Redblack, Friday, 7:30 p.m.

Hamilton (7-9) could have clinched a playoff berth last weekend in Toronto but now must win its final two regular-season games to reach the post-season. The Ticats are 2-0 this season against expansion Ottawa (2-14). Newcomer Nic Grigsby had just six yards rushing on six carries versus the Argos. It's expected the Redblacks will be auditioning talent for next year, which could pose continuity problems.

Pick — Hamilton

but if we can pull on our side and put the ball in positions to score and make some plays when we have the chance, that's the stuff that's been killing us all year and until we overcome those kinds of things we'll continually put ourselves in bad positions.

"But I have a good feeling about this one."

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4 SPORTS

Keeping Hornets buzzing. Walker extends contract with rising Charlotte

Kemba Walker has seen NBA basketball in Charlotte at its worst. He's willing to stick around to see it at its best.

The diminutive point guard said that's why he agreed to a contract extension Thursday allowing him to remain with the Hornets instead of testing the free agent market.

"Now that we're a good team, I want to keep us good," Walker said Thursday at a press conference at the team's downtown arena. "I want to be in the middle of that."

Walker signed a four-year, \$48 million contract extension with the Hornets, a person familiar with the deal said Tuesday night. The person spoke on condition of anonymity because the deal had not been announced publicly.

On a mission

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Charlotte point guard Kemba Walker



Kemba Walker GETTY IMAGE

The Hornets drafted the 6-foot-1 Walker with the ninth pick in 2011. He's started 180 games in three seasons and averages 16 points, 5.5 assists and 3.7 rebounds per game.

After agreeing to the contract late Tuesday night, Walker immediately paid dividends. He hit two huge shots, including the game-winner with 5 seconds left in overtime to give the Hornets a 108-106 win over the Bucks in Wednesday's season opener.

"It's been unbelievable," Walker said of the past few days. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

U-20s soccer

Canada drawn with Mexico in CONCACAF draw

Canada has been drawn in a group with Cuba, El Salvador, Haiti, Honduras and defending champion Mexico for the CONCACAF U-20 men's championship in Jamaica next year. The other pool includes Guatemala, Jamaica, Panama and the U.S. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Reinstated to Yankees

A-Rod suspension for drug violation comes to end

Alex Rodriguez's season-long suspension formally ended Thursday. The New York Yankees reinstated the third baseman from the restricted list. Rodriguez was suspended by MLB for violations of the sport's drug agreement. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Bochy not the type to count his chickens

Superstitious. Talk of a 'dynasty' made the Giants manager nervous prior to sealing World Series win

Bruce Bochy is crazy superstitious. It's a little-known fact about the unflappable San Francisco Giants manager.

Mere mention of anything about a dynasty during the World Series made him uncomfortable. He felt equally uneasy when his name got linked to the best skippers of all-time — those Hall of Famers he well could join someday.

Bochy doesn't have to worry about a jinx now. After the team won its third championship in five seasons, its new label looks as if it will stick.

"Dynasty" blared the front page of the San Francisco Chronicle on Thursday.

The Giants closed it out with a 3-2 win in Game 7 at Kansas City on Wednesday night, sealed by Series MVP Madison Bumgarner's five shutout innings as a reliever this time.

"A lot has to go right. First off, it starts with the talent," Bochy said. "I mean, you need that, which we have. Then you have to deal with a lot of things maybe during the season. Every manager says, 'Hey, we're fine, we have a good chance to get there if we stay healthy.' But that doesn't always happen."

In a remarkable every-



Tim Hudson No. 17 celebrates with Madison Bumgarner No. 40 of the San Francisco Giants on the field after defeating the Kansas City Royals 3-2 to win Game 7 of the 2104 World Series GETTY IMAGE

Quoted

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San Francisco Giants manager Bruce Bochy

other-year pattern, San Francisco somehow finds its best form in even years. With new faces and old ones, with castoffs and mis-

fits and some key mid-season acquisitions.

Few clubs have captured three championships in a five-year span. The last Na-

tional League team to do it was the St. Louis Cardinals with Stan Musial from 1942-46, so the Giants are the first of the free-agency era.

The Oakland Athletics won three straight crowns in the early 1970s, and the New York Yankees captured four in five years from 1996-2000.

Still, San Francisco was never considered a favourite or the best team in the regular season any of these times. Twice in this stretch, the Giants missed the playoffs altogether.

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Stabbings and shootings

Celebrations turn nasty in San Francisco

The celebration in San Francisco's streets following the Giants' World Series victory turned raucous and violent, with two people shot, two stabbed and 40 arrested, as revelers vandalized police cars and businesses and pelted officers trying to disperse crowds with bottles.

At first, the partying unfolded peacefully Wed-

nesday night, with fans gathering in the streets and uncorking champagne, dancing and hugging strangers after their team won its third championship in five years with a 3-2 victory over Kansas City in the winner-take-all seventh game.

But in some areas, the atmosphere grew rowdier as the night wore on. Fans climbed onto buses and sprayed graffiti on the windows of businesses. Nine police cars were damaged, Police Chief Greg Suhr said Thursday. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



A man jumps over some debris that has been set on fire in the Mission district after the San Francisco Giants beat the Kansas City Royals to win the World Series. AP PHOTO

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Horoscopes by Sally Brompton

♈ Aries

March 21 - April 20

You have a reputation for acting on impulse but today you will show it is not entirely deserved. For best results, think about what you would like to be doing a year from now.

♉ Taurus

April 21 - May 21

Just because something is popular does not mean you have to join in with it too. You are unlikely to be successful if you slavishly follow the herd.

♊ Gemini

May 22 - June 21

You have strong opinions about certain issues and will make sure they get heard over the next 24 hours. You must though expect to arouse equally strong opinions in other people.

♋ Cancer

June 22 - July 23

If your instincts tell you that an offer is too good to be true then you must turn it down, no matter how much others promise you will gain. There is no such thing as a sure thing.

♌ Leo

July 24 - Aug. 23

The more difficult a task is, the more determined you will be to make a success of it. With help from Mars and Jupiter over the next few days you'll go a long way by this time next week.

♍ Virgo

Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

There is something you need and there is only one person who can give it to you, so you are going to have to ask.

♎ Libra

Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

According to the planets a loved one is going through a bad patch and you alone can help them get out of it.

♏ Scorpio

Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

What others expect of you bears no relation to what you expect of yourself, so there is room for confusion. Tell them that your plans come first.

♐ Sagittarius

Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

You may not realize it yet but you are on the cusp of a turning point in your life, one you will look back on in years to come and say, "That's when it started get good". Good things can happen today as well.

♑ Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

You may not enjoy the situation you find yourself in today but the good news is if you take the chance to deal with it now it won't bug you again.

♒ Aquarius

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

You may not want to hurt a friend's feelings by saying something brutal but you are beginning to realize it may be the only way to make them see sense. Time for tough love.

♓ Pisces

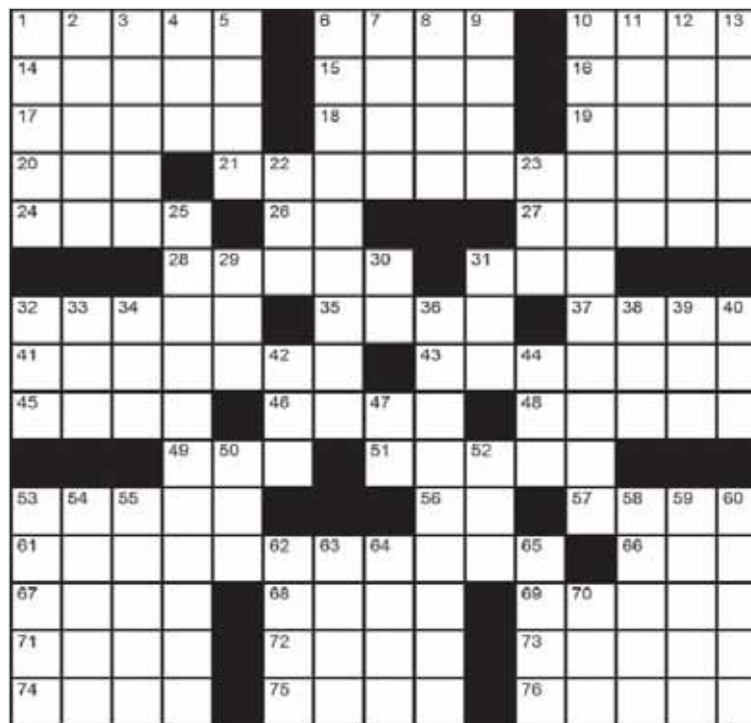
Feb. 20 - March 20

Don't be afraid to take on more duties over the next few days, especially if you are involved in a joint creative project. The deeper you get involved, the better things will turn out.

Crossword: Canada Across and Down by Kelly Ann Buchanan

Across

1. Halloween haunter
6. Commotions
10. Nero's 1104
14. Sharp object
15. "Falling Skies" star Mr. Wyle
16. First-rate
17. "He Knows You're ___" (1980)
18. "Black Swan" (2010) garb
19. ___ and gore
20. Canal city in Italy [abbr.]
21. 1985 Roddy McDowall thriller: 2 wds.
24. Green-___ monster
26. Hosp. drip
27. Pains
28. Sharp-___ (Like a knife)
31. Sit-ups targets
32. Ritual site
35. Nopes
37. Snaky spots
41. He died Halloween 1926
43. Halloween Treats ...chocolate bar!: 2 wds.
45. Dr. Frankenstein's helper
46. Indigo
48. ___ days
49. Wrath
51. Disinfectant brand
53. Torment
56. ___-Fi
57. Fight
61. 2000 Canadian horror movie: 2 wds.
66. "___ scientist."



...said Victor Frankenstein

67. Busy as ___: 2 wds.
68. "Take ___ face value."
69. "The Birds" (1963) star Ms. Hedren
71. "___ Window" (1954)
72. "___ Fear" (1991)
73. "A Nightmare ___

Street" (1984)

74. Slitherer's sounds
75. Broadway star Linda of Jekyll & Hyde
76. Q. "How does 'wolf' begin?" A. "With '___', _ think."

Down

1. Body's bed below
2. "The Sixth Sense"

(1999) star, ___ Joel Osment

3. ___ layer
4. "The ___ of Frankenstein" (1939)
5. Not kosher
6. Toxic bite treatment
7. Mr. Savant of "Godzilla" (1998)
8. Pledge

9. Closed

10. Cauldron creations: 2 wds.
11. "Ahem!"
12. Stake ___ heart (Vampire eliminator)
13. Suit pieces
22. Fix
23. Capture
25. 1988 David Cronenberg directed

- thriller: 2 wds.
29. Antiperspirant, Soft & ___
30. Prosecutor, for short
31. Fireplace residue
32. Sushi tuna
33. Journal
34. Your, in Italy
36. Exorcism need: 2 wds.
38. Polit. designation
39. Three, in Tuscany
40. Prefix with 'thesis'
42. Scot's no
44. Owl's noise
47. French pronoun
50. Cereal grass
52. Small swallow
53. Petri dish gels
54. Wisecracks, variantly
55. "Is this ___ scary?" ...horror movie chooser's query
58. "Carrie" (1976) actress Ms. Laurie
59. Plentiful
60. "The Evil Dead" (1981) director Sam
62. The Vampire Chronicles writer Anne
63. Dutch for 'city'
64. Neck's back
65. Pack
70. 'Serpent' suffix

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Yesterday's Sudoku

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7	5	9	6	1	2	4	3	8
3	6	4	9	7	8	1	2	5
8	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	9
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